

WENDOVER AIR FORCE BASE, ELECTRIC BUILDING  
(Electric Switch Building)  
(Building No. 427)  
South of Interstate 80  
Wendover  
Tooele County  
Utah

HABS NO. UT-125-H

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PHOTOGRAPHS

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Wendover Air Force Base,  
Electric Building (also—  
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The Electric Building was built in 1942 in conjunction with the Operations Building (#426) as part of the rapid expansion of facilities at the base. The structure contains only 420 square feet of floor space. It was built for \$820.00 of "Mobilization," "Semi-Permanent" type construction. It is situated east of building 421 and north of the northwest corner of building 426.

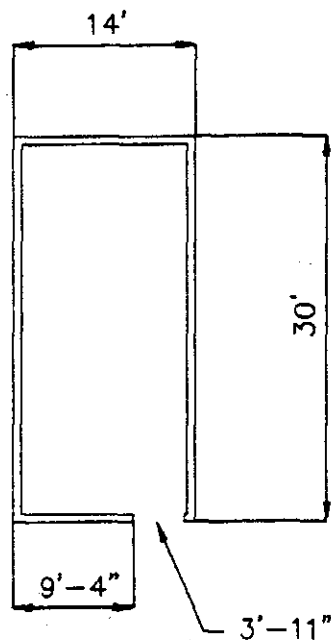
Rectangular in plan, the building measures 14 feet by 30 feet. It has a concrete foundation and floor, metal clad walls and metal sheet roof. Its simple character reflects its utilitarian, rarely inhabited nature. The building is outfitted with 2-110/220 3 phase electrical power, 8 transformers, 4 remote control wire switches, one "International Palmer" auxiliary power unit, one "synchroscope," one "cubical primary manual transfer switch," one switch box, plus a coal-fired space heater to warm the occasional user. The diminutive structure has a vented gable roof, a flat-panel door on the south end, and a metal awning window on the east wall.

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ELECTRIC BLDG. (SWITCH STATION)  
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<b>BUILDING SKETCH PLAN</b>	<b>WENDOVER AIR FORCE BASE WENDOVER, UTAH</b>
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